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February 15, 2018

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

The Honorable Jocelyn G. Boyd
Chief Clerk/Administrator
Public Service Commission of South Carolina
101 Executive Center Drive
Columbia, South Carolina 29210

**RE: Joint Petition to Transfer a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility
and Public Convenience and Necessity from Columbia Energy LLC to
South Carolina Electric & Gas Company
Docket No. 2018-25-E**

Dear Ms. Boyd:

By letter dated January 31, 2018, the Clerk's Office of the Public Service Commission of South Carolina transmitted to South Carolina Electric & Gas Company and Columbia Energy (collectively "the Parties") a Notice of Filing ("Notice") in the above-referenced docket. The Clerk's Office instructed the Parties to publish the Notice in newspapers of general circulation in the affected areas by February 15, 2018, and provide proof of publication on or before March 8, 2018. In compliance with the Clerk's Office's instructions, please find enclosed for filing affidavits and tearsheets from the newspapers of general circulation in the affected areas as proof of publication of the required Notice evidencing that the Notice was timely published.

By copy of this letter, we are providing the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff with a copy of the enclosed documents.

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If you have any questions, please advise.

Very truly yours,



Matthew W. Gissendanner

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Enclosures

cc: Dawn Hipp
Shannon Bowyer Hudson, Esquire
Jeffrey M. Nelson, Esquire
John J. Pringle, Esquire
(all via electronic and U.S. First Class Mail w/enclosures)

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

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S.C. NEWSPAPER NETWORK (LEGALS) LACEY BREIT - LEGALS
106 OUTLET POINTE BLVD
COLUMBIA SC 29210

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Aiken Standard

The North Augusta Star

State of South Carolina

County of Aiken

Personally appeared before me the undersigned advertising clerk of the Aiken Standard, a seven day per week newspaper published in Aiken, South Carolina, and made oath in due form of law that the advertisement of

(copy attached)

appeared in the issues of said newspaper on the following day(s):

02/06/18 Tue AS
02/06/18 Tue ASW

at a cost of \$375.75
Account# 290301
Order# 1662507
P.O. Number: 18022BS0-59516

SWORN and subscribed to before
me today, 02/06/2018

Stacia Soren
advertising clerk

Jennifer L. Mills

JENNIFER L. MILLS
Notary Public, South Carolina
My Commission Expires
April 02, 2024

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February 6, 2018

*** Proof of Publication ***

State of South Carolina
County of Orangeburg

SC Press Association
106 Outlet Pointe Blvd.
Columbia, SC 29210


ORDER NUMBER 10703

Personally appeared before me,
Kyla Fraser,
Sales Manager
of The Times And Democrat,
a division of Lee Publications, Inc.
A newspaper published at Orangeburg,
County of Orangeburg,
State of South Carolina.
Who declares that the attached
Notice was published in said newspaper
On the following dates:

PUBLISHED ON: 02/03/2018

TOTAL AD COST: 214.09

FILED ON: 2/5/2018


SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED
BEFORE ME


NOTARY PUBLIC, S.C.

My commission Expires: January 26, 2025

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02/07/18 Wed ASW

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at a cost of **\$154.97**
Account# **290301**
Order# **1662520**
P.O. Number: **18022880-59514**

SWORN and subscribed to before
me today, 02/06/2018

[Signature]
advertising clerk

[Signature]

JENNIFER L. MILLS
Notary Public, South Carolina
My Commission Expires
April 02, 2024

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February 7, 2018

Hilton Head Island - Maiton

THE ISLAND PACKET

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Account #	Ad Number	Identification	PO	Amount	Cols	Lines
445234	0003509503	PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CA	DOCKET NO. 2018-25-E	\$263.73	1	128

Attention:

SC PRESS ASSOCIATION
106 OUTLET POINTE BLVD
COLUMBIA, SC 29210

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STATE OF)
SOUTH CAROLINA) AFFIDAVIT
COUNTY OF BEAUFORT)

Personally appeared before me a Notary Public, in and for State and County, aforesaid, Curt Jacobi who being duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the Vice President of Advertising of The Island Packet and The Beaufort Gazette, newspapers published Sunday through Saturday every week in Beaufort County. The attached advertisement was published in the issue(s) of The Island Packet and The Beaufort Gazette as follows:

1 Insertions

Published On:
February 02, 2018



Curt Jacobi
VP of Advertising

The Island Packet/The Beaufort Gazette

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 2nd day of February, 2018



Amy L. Robbins
Notary Public for South Carolina
My Commission Expires on: 11/27/2022

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THE STATE MEDIA CO., INC.
Columbia, South Carolina publisher of

The State
The State Media Company
NEWSPAPER • DIGITAL • MAGAZINES • DIRECT MAIL

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Account #	Ad Number	Identification
132477	0003509841	PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA CLERKS OFF

Attention: Lacey Breit

SC NEWSPAPER NETWORK
106 OUTLET POINTE BLVD
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State of South Carolina

County of Richland

Personally appeared before me, Lauren Libet, VP of Advertising of THE STATE, and makes oath that the advertisement, was inserted in The State, a daily newspaper of general circulation published in the City of Columbia, State and County aforesaid, in the issue(s) of

1 Insertions

Published On:
February 03, 2018



Lauren Libet
VP of Advertising

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 6th day of February in the year of 2018



Allison Branham
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:
5/8/2027

"Errors - the liability of the publisher on account of errors in or omissions from any advertisement will in no way exceed the amount of the charge for the space occupied by the item in error, and then only for the first incorrect insertion."

Lacey Breit SC NEWSPAPER NETWORK SCE&G/SCNN
106 Outlet Pointe Blvd
Columbia SC 29210

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The Post and Courier

State of South Carolina

County of Charleston

Personally appeared before me the undersigned advertising clerk of the above indicated newspaper published in the city of Charleston, county and state aforesaid, who, being duly sworn, says that the advertisement of

(copy attached)

appeared in the issues of said newspaper on the following day(s):

02/05/18 Mon PC
02/05/18 Mon CNW

at a cost of \$323.76
Account# 229601
Order# 1662707
P.O. Number:

Subscribed and sworn to before
me this 10th day
of February
A.D. 2018

advertising clerk

NOTARY PUBLIC, SC
My commission expires



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S.C. Code Ann. Regs. 103-304
and 103-825 and S.C. Code
Ann. 58-33-110(2).
A copy of the company's
Joint Petition can be found on
the Commission's website at
www.sccsc.gov under Docket
No. 2018-25-E. Additionally,

a copy of the Joint Petition is
available from the offices of K.
Chad Burgess, Esquire and
Matthew W. Glasdanner,
Esquire, South Carolina Elec-
tric & Gas Company, 220 Op-
eration Way, MC Code 222,
Cayce, South Carolina 29033
and John J. Pringle, Jr., Es-
quire, Adams and Reese,
LLP, 1501 Main Street, 5th
Floor, Columbia, South Caro-
lina 29201.
Any person who wishes to
participate in this matter as a
party of record, should file a
Petition to Intervene in ac-
cordance with the Commis-
sion's Rules of Practice and
Procedure on or before
March 8, 2018, by filing
the Petition to Intervene with
the Commission, by providing
a copy to the Office of Regu-
latory Staff and by providing a
copy to all parties of record.
For the receipt of future Com-
mission correspondence,
please include an email ad-
dress in the Petition to Inter-
vene. Please refer to Docket
No. 2018-25-E and mail a
copy to all other parties in this
docket. Any person who seeks
to intervene and who wishes
to testify and present evidence
at the hearing, if scheduled,
should notify, in writing, the
Commission, the Office of
Regulatory Staff at 1401 Main
Street, Suite 900, Columbia,
South Carolina 29201; and the
company at the above ad-
dress, on or before March
8, 2018. Please refer
to Docket No.
2018-25-E.
A public hearing, if scheduled,
will be held in Columbia, South
Carolina in the offices of the
Commission located at 101
Executive Center Drive, Suite
100, Columbia, South Carolina
29210, for the purpose of re-
ceiving testimony and other
evidence from all interested
parties regarding this Appli-
cation. The time and date of
this hearing will be furnished
to all interested parties at a
later date.
For the most recent infor-
mation regarding this docket, in-
cluding changes in scheduled
dates included in this Notice,
please refer to www.sccsc.gov
and Docket No.
2018-25-E.
Persons seeking information
about the Commission's pro-
cedures should contact the
Commission at (803) 896-1100
or visit its website at www.sccsc.gov.
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